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Application No.: 10/809,565

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For: USE OF HYDROXYCARBOXYLIC ACIDS
AND SALTS THEREOF AS COMPLEXING
AGENTS IN REDUCING COMPOSITIONS
FOR BLEACHING OR PERMANENTLY
RESHAPING KERATIN FIBRES

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Application Number 10/809,019, filed March 25, 2004, currently allowed, and Application Number 10/809,564, filed March 25, 2004.

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